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## TWO ARRESTS IN ROSENTHAL CASE

"Bridgie" Webber and Sam Paul Being Held on the Charge, "Suspicion of Homicide"

## NOT CHARGED WITH BEING IN "MURDER CAR"

Jack Sullivan, Alleged Go-Between For Becker and Rose, Taken Into Custody as a Witness—Latter Was "Doing Work" For Becker on Night of Murder—Police Skeptical of Rose's Story That He Was Not at Shooting.

New York, July 21.—Louis (Bridgie) Webber, keeper of an uptown resort, and Sam Paul, head of the "Sam Paul association," at the outbreak of which last Sunday threats were made to "get" Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, were arrested tonight on the charge of suspicion of homicide in connection with the killing of Rosenthal last Monday night.

Sullivan Taken as a Witness. Jack Sullivan, alleged go-between for Becker and Rose, the latter already under arrest, was taken into custody as a material witness.

More Arrests Coming. The arrests were the result of the activities today and tonight of Deputy Police Commissioner Dougherty, who has assumed active charge of the police hunt for the murderers of Rosenthal. More arrests are expected at any moment, the commissioner asserted, but as to the nature of these arrests he would say nothing.

Were Not in "Murder Car." When asked with questions as to the real significance of tonight's work, the commissioner was reticent. This much he said definitely: "Webber and Paul are not charged with being in the 'murder car' at the time the fatal shots were fired. The men who actually did the shooting are not in custody. The arrests do not clear up the case, although the police have made material progress and the problem which has puzzled the police department and the district attorney's office for a week."

Becker Not Arrested. Whether the evidence secured today leads toward Lieut. Charles Becker, charged by Rosenthal with exacting tribute from New York gamblers, Commissioner Dougherty declined flatly to discuss. Mr. Dougherty admitted that Becker was not at the police headquarters, but declared that the lieutenant had not been arrested.

Sullivan Can Tell a Tale. "Jack" Sullivan is regarded as the man who can throw the most light on Becker's participation in the case. Whether he has done this already is a matter of conjecture, but Commissioner Dougherty admitted that Sullivan had told him that he left Lieut. Becker's automobile in the vicinity of Broadway and Forty-second street one hour and a half before the assassination on Tuesday morning. Sullivan was also in "Bridgie" Webber's place between 1:15 and 2 o'clock, whether

the rest of the men who are implicated in Webber's case at the time the commissioner refused to say.

Sullivan Near Scene of Murder. Sullivan is said to have admitted that he was with "Bald Jack" Rose on Monday evening in Sam Paul's place. Rose is now locked up in the Tombs, charged with complicity in the murder. After leaving Rose, Sullivan went to the fight in Madison Square Garden and at the conclusion of the bout joined Lieut. Becker and was driven away from the Garden in the latter's machine. It is claimed that Sullivan was in the immediate vicinity of the murder the night before the murder, but whether his arrest was due to this fact Commissioner Dougherty refused to say.

Was Working for Becker. Commissioner Dougherty says that Sullivan has told him that his mission after leaving Becker's car was to see Sam Paul in "Bridgie" Webber's place, but that he did not find Paul. Sullivan has further explained what his business with Paul at that time was, and has also explained his interest in doing some work for Lieut. Becker the night before the murder.

Becker Lame Standing. High officials of the police department have ceased their defense of Lieut. Becker, formerly head of the "Strong Arm squad," and accuse Rosenthal with having been in partnership with him in a gambling business. Deputy Commissioner Dougherty indicated this attitude toward Becker when in reply to a question as to whether Becker was in the "murder car" he said: "I would not more send out Becker to the streets than I would send out Rosenthal."

Believes Rose Was in "Murder Car." That Rose is an important figure in the case is freely admitted by the commissioner. Mr. Dougherty has implied that he does not believe the assertion of Rose that he was not in control of the "murder car" at the time Rosenthal was shot down. Rose is a friend who is said to have been working for Becker the night of the murder.

Newsboy Witness Found. Another witness of the assassination was found early today. He is a newsboy who said Herman Rosenthal had been in the vicinity of the Metropolitan hotel, the newsboy tells a rather vague story of the murder, and as yet is believed to have given little information of importance bearing upon it.

## Cabled Paragraphs

Premier May Visit Africa. Berlin, July 21.—Plans are being considered by the government for Crown Prince Frederick William to visit the German African colonies in 1914.

German Paper Assails John Bull. Berlin, July 21.—The Berlin Tageblatt published a leading article yesterday assailing Great Britain for the conditions in the Putumayo rubber district in Peru.

Over 100 Arrests For Murder Plot. Seoul, July 21.—More than 100 Koreans have been arrested by the Russian authorities at Haeju and its vicinity in connection with an alleged plot to assassinate Prince Katsura when the Japanese ex-premier passed through that Manchurian city on his way to St. Petersburg.

More Bubonic Plague Deaths. San Juan, Porto Rico, July 21.—Three deaths occurred yesterday in the suburbs of San Juan from the bubonic plague. One suspect has been found. These cases were not reported to the authorities. Since the outbreak of the plague there have been 37 cases and 25 deaths throughout Porto Rico. The Haffkine vaccine has been administered to all persons residing in the infected district.

SUMMER MEETING FOR REPUBLICAN STATE COMMITTEE. Chairman Roraback Names Aug. 1st for the Date.

Hartford, Conn., July 21.—Chairman J. H. Roraback has decided to call the summer meeting of the republican state committee for Aug. 1 in Hartford, the Albany house, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. It will be purely a business meeting, called especially to name the date for the state convention and the caucuses. It will be remembered that at the New Haven convention last spring it was voted that all the caucuses be held on the same date, and that the convention will be in Hartford.

A WATERBURY MAN MANGLED BY TROLLEY. Fell Off Car and Heavy Trucks Pass Over Both Legs.

Waterbury, July 21.—John Longworth, aged 49 years, who was run over and terribly mangled by the trolley on the Waterbury line at 11:10 o'clock this morning, died four hours later at the Waterbury hospital. Death was due to shock and loss of blood.

DOUBLE WEDDING IN UTICA JAIL. Both of the Brides Are Prisoners in the Institution.

Utica, N. Y., July 21.—What is probably the first double wedding to be performed in jail in New York state took place last evening in the Onondaga county jail. Jessie Hanson and Flora Granger, 32 and 27 years old, were united in marriage with Tony Lemma, 28 years old, and Sam Marechal, aged 27 years.

ARRESTED FOR STANDING ON THE RUNNING BOARD. Connecticut Company to Have Test Case in Orange Court.

New Haven, July 21.—Fred Russell, clerk of the board of selectmen of the town of Orange, was arrested tonight for standing on the running board of a trolley car after the motor had started. He was charged with being in violation of the rule recently put into effect.

BORROWS BABY FOR PLOT. Girl Confesses a Scheme to Blackmail Her Former Employer.

Chicago, July 21.—Dr. Thomas J. Balchett, popular in society, was involved yesterday afternoon in the confession of Rose Moody, 19 years old, who admitted that she entered into a plot to blackmail her former employer out of \$3,500. She asserted that she had borrowed a baby from a family at Clearing, Ill., at the suggestion of Dr. Balchett, and posed as the mother of the child. Dr. Balchett is accused of having made a return to the city mortality officials on May 28 of the birth of a child to Mrs. Rose Moody.

Murder at Winoski, Vt. Winoski, Vt., July 21.—Frank Dennis, a carpenter, was found murdered in West Allen street tonight. He had apparently been struck over the head with some heavy instrument and felled. No arrest has yet been made. Dennis was 48 years of age and is survived by a widow and four children.

Mother and Baby Burned. Milton, Mass., July 21.—Mrs. Bela Rosos, aged 24 years, and three weeks' old daughter were burned to death in bed when their home caught fire and burned today. Jelly Rosos, the woman's husband, was seriously burned in his efforts to save his wife and child.

Windstorm at Atlantic City. Atlantic City, N. J., July 21.—Wind which attained a velocity of 40 miles an hour did considerable damage to this resort tonight. Scores were injured by flying debris.

Drowned in a Sewer. Baltimore, Md., July 21.—Slipping from the top of a bank at the foot of which was an open sewer, and rendered helpless because of rheumatism, John Schmitt, 53 years old, fell into the sewer and was drowned this afternoon.

## Hartford Auto Turned Turtle

CONTRACTOR PIERRE JOHNSON INSTANTLY KILLED.

ROAD WAS SLIPPERY THROUGH NEWSPAPERS

Machine Skidded and Upset—Four Injured by Skidding Auto at New Haven—Other Auto Accidents.

Hartford, Conn., July 21.—Pierre A. Johnson, a well known contractor of this city, is dead. His widow, Amanda Johnson, has severe wounds, his daughter, Miss Victoria, aged 11, has a broken leg, his son, Walter, aged 11, has a broken arm, and another son, Carl, aged 17, has minor injuries, as the result of an automobile accident near Newington this morning, when the automobile in which they were riding turned turtle on the New Haven turnpike.

Rain Made Road Slippery. Mr. Johnson and his family were on the way to Savin Rock, where they had planned to spend the day. Owing to the rain, the road was in a slippery condition.

Machine Probably Skidded. It is not definitely known how the accident happened, but it is presumed the machine skidded, struck an obstruction and then turned over. Mr. Johnson was almost instantly killed. All his ribs and his collarbone were broken.

LORIMER INJURED. Deceased Senator Figures in Automobile Accident in Pennsylvania.

Clayville, Pa., July 21.—William Lorimer, the Illinois senator, recently deprived of his seat by the United States senate, was out, bruised and stunned when his automobile was wrecked late this afternoon one mile west of here. Mr. Lorimer was not seriously hurt, but had narrow escape. His private secretary and chauffeur sustained scratches. All three proceeded to Chicago by train tonight.

Mr. Lorimer and party left Washington Saturday morning en route to Chicago in a large touring car. Shortly after passing Clayville a fractional horse-drawn wagon, a farmer, was encountered. In an effort to avoid a collision the steering gear was thrown out of place and the automobile crashed into a telegraph pole. The three occupants were thrown out.

The former senator was the first to recover his feet and rushed to the aid of the others, who were having difficulty restraining their frightened horses. A few moments the horses were calmed and Mr. Lorimer collapsed and fell unconscious to the muddy roadway. He was revived with exciting periods and where his injuries were given medical attention.

The Chicago express train was stopped here and the train halted for the west at 8:40 p. m. A member of the senate was in good humor by the time the train pulled out. He jokingly remarked that his life had been saved with exciting periods and smilingly said: "My hat is still in the sack."

SKIDDED INTO TROLLEY. Four Persons Injured, One Probably Fatally, at New Haven.

New Haven, July 21.—Four persons were hurt, one probably fatally, when an automobile crashed into a German street trolley car at the junction of Howard and Davenport avenues tonight. Richard P. Burns, 32 years old, a broken arm and a punctured lung. His sister, Miss Jennie Burns, has internal injuries. Richard Nolan, 18 years old, has a fractured arm and a bruised head. Anthony Nader, 26 years old, and Sam Marechal, 27 years old, were also injured.

The woman who was injured was Mrs. Burns, who was driving the car. She was thrown out of the car and landed on her head. The car was crushed and the trolley car was damaged.

ON WAY FROM CHURCH. Man and Wife Killed by Overturning of Their Auto.

Lafayette, Ind., July 21.—Jacob Daerzan, a wealthy farmer, and his wife were instantly killed and three children were seriously injured when their automobile overturned near Fowler as they were returning home from church today. The necks of both Mr. and Mrs. Daerzan were broken by the overturning, under which they were pinned.

Train Kills a Chauffeur. Troy, N. Y., July 21.—A freight train on the Boston and Maine railroad hit an automobile this morning two miles north of Johnsonville and killed the chauffeur, Bernard Mattison, and injured three other occupants, not fatally, however.

WOMAN'S HEAD IN COURT. Man Accused of Killing Wife Collapses at Grewsmore Exhibit.

Cheyenne, Wyo., July 21.—The head of a murdered woman, with long, flowing brown hair, was an exhibit in court at the trial of J. Warren Jenkins for the murder of his wife. The gruesome exhibit was used to show the manner of death.

Jenkins broke down and it was an hour before he recovered. He is accused of slaying his wife in order that he might get possession of a fortune of \$50,000 belonging to her.

Midshipman Falls from Mast. Annapolis, July 21.—William I. Bullock of Corsicana, Tex., a midshipman of six weeks' standing at the naval academy, was killed today by falling from the top of the mainmast at a distance of about one hundred feet. His neck was broken and he died instantly.

## Subscriptions For Campaign

WILSON MANAGERS TO START A "DOLLAR FUND."

Letters Received from Over 2,000 Republicans Pledging Their Support—Roosevelt and Flinn to Confer Today.

A telegram received here today from Colonel Seabert L. Newing, national committee man from Louisiana and a member of the campaign committee, announced that he had again started a public subscription list for the campaign fund through the columns of his newspaper. Several other publishers, including Norman E. Mack of Buffalo, have sent word of the opening of similar subscription funds.

A "Dollar Subscription List." One of the things that the campaign committee has in mind the opening of "dollar subscription lists" throughout the country.

ROOSEVELT AND FLINN To Confer Today Over Latter's Election Proposition.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 21.—An important step in the formation of the national progressive party will come up for decision tomorrow at a conference to be held at Oyster Bay, N. Y., and ex-Senator William Flinn, of Pittsburgh, Colonel Roosevelt will give his final word in regard to methods upon which he will insist on the selection of candidates for presidential electors.

Mr. Flinn and E. A. Van Valkenburg of Philadelphia were reported to have proposed recently that the same candidates for presidential electors be placed on both the Taft and Roosevelt tickets in Pennsylvania, with the agreement that the entire electoral vote of the state would go to the candidate for president whose ticket received the largest popular vote. Colonel Roosevelt rejected the plan, but he did not object to the suggestion that the entire electoral vote of the state would go to the candidate for president whose ticket received the largest popular vote.

It was understood that the matter would be left open until after the national progressive convention.

WON'T VOTE FOR TAFT. Senator Works Replies to Telegram of Progressives.

Washington, July 21.—The controversy between Senator John D. Works and the progressives has been further urged on the Canadian government and is under consideration now.

Former Assistant District Attorney Ely has filed suit against the Ely-Guland Gold Concessions Co., Ltd., to recover \$3,000 that he paid for 250 shares of alleged worthless stock.

Patrolman Olive of the West 68th street station, New York, had a quarrel with his wife on the beach at Coney Island and was taken by a life saver.

Chairman Stanley of the house steel trust investigating committee has authorized a denial of reports that the committee would recommend the dissolution of the United States Steel corporation.

Fire Destroyed an Entire Business block and the British Columbia Electric railway car barns Saturday at Vancouver, B. C. The Royal George hotel and the Angeles apartment house were among the buildings burned.

A Libel Suit Filed by Charles P. Leach, former collector of customs at Cleveland, O., for \$10,000 damages against Franklin MacVeagh, secretary of the treasury, was dismissed by stipulation before Circuit Judge Baldwin at Chicago Saturday.

Chief Wed-Yal-Luhwa-Ya-Ci-Ka of the Atlatum tribe has received a letter from Andrew Carnegie denying the report published in eastern papers that he would give \$750,000 for a council lodge for the brotherhood of North American Indians in Washington, D. C.

Capt. Henry R. Jones, U. S. A. (retired), a past commander of the department of Connecticut, G. A. R., and for a quarter of a century proprietor and editor of the New Hartford Tri-une, died Saturday at a hospital in Hartford of a complication of diseases. He was born in New Hartford in 1837.

CHILD SET CLOTHING AFFIRE WITH MATCHES. Five Years Old New Haven Girl Succumbs to Her Burns.

New Haven, Conn., July 21.—Gertrude Harrison, the five years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harrison, of No. 10 Wolcott street, died tonight at a local hospital as the result of burns received Saturday afternoon. She was playing with matches when her clothing caught fire.

Redhot Rail Through Body. Pittsburg, Pa., July 21.—Frederick Nehmer, aged 50, a roller in a steel plant, met a horrible death tonight when a scorching red-hot rail struck him on the back, passing through his body.

Suicides While Entertaining Friends. Pittsburgh, Pa., July 21.—In view of a party of friends who were entertaining at her home tonight, Mrs. Mary Schlot, aged 28, drank two ounces of acid and died within a short time. No reason for the suicide can be ascertained.

## Condensed Telegrams

The New York Republican State convention to name a ticket will be held at Saratoga on Sept. 25.

The \$1,500,000 estate reported to have been left by State Senator Michael J. Coffey of Brooklyn has shrunk to \$450,000.

Governor Dix Will Represent New York on the committee to formally notify Woodrow Wilson of his nomination.

Half a Dozen Buildings in the business section of Bluefield, W. Va., were destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at \$200,000.

Buster Higgins, a Four Year Old Boy of Champaign, Ill., was fatally injured by a mad puma on exhibition at a carnival show.

St. Louis Society Girls are wearing men's socks because of the warm weather. They wear the regulation men's garters, too!

William L. Scruggs, former minister from the United States to China, Colombia and Venezuela, died in Atlanta, Ga., of apoplexy.

Auditors on the Books in the health department at Passaic, N. J., found the missing health officer, Dr. James Nelson Elliott, was short \$1,015.

Out of the 19 Non-Commissioned officers recently examined at Fort Leavenworth for commissions as second lieutenants, 14 were successful.

The Kenosha, Wis., health department has got the city's "goat" by ordering the slaughter of all nannies and billies which run wild in the town.

B. P. Waggoner, General Solicitor of the Missouri Pacific railroad, celebrating his 64th birthday by giving a picnic in Atchison, Kan., to 10,000 children.

An Unknown Country Clergyman in New York state opened the financial books of the republican campaign. He sent a \$1 bill as a starter for the Taft fund.

A Despatch from Carp Lake, 28 miles northeast of Passaic, Mich., said that a light sprinkle of snow fell there Friday night. Crops were damaged by the cold.

New Hampshire Supporters of Theodore Roosevelt to the number of 200 met in Manchester Saturday and voted to organize a progressive party in New Hampshire.

The Trustees of the Millersville State Normal school at Lancaster, Pa., have discovered that the treasurer, Prof. W. Lanning, is short in his accounts about \$8,000.

Charles Marks of Mount Holly, N. J., is dying from blood poisoning, he is treated from using a penknife to remove a bullet he had accidentally fired in his left leg.

A Minneapolis, Minn., fireman had such a realistic dream of a fire that he slid down the pole in his sleep. He is in the hospital with a severe scalp wound and a broken leg.

Cutters and Skivers of the Emerson Shoe company at Rockland, Mass., have been granted an increased wage of 25 cents a day, bringing their day's pay up to the Brockton level.

The United States Civil Service commission will investigate the alleged political activities of federal officeholders in the republican pre-convention campaign and at Chicago.

The Abrogation of the Modus Vivendi between the United States and Canada in respect to coast fisheries is being urged on the Canadian government and is under consideration now.

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## Emperor Has Restful Night

CONDITION OF JAPANESE MONARCH IMPROVED.

PHYSICIANS HOPEFUL

Preparations for His Death Carefully Made, However—All Sets Join in Praying for Monarch's Recovery.

Tokio, July 21.—More favorable news concerning the illness of Mutsuhito the emperor of Japan, came from the palace this morning. The secretary of the imperial household announced at 1 o'clock that the condition of his majesty was considerably improved and that the attending court physicians were more hopeful.

The emperor fell asleep at midnight and had nearly six hours' undisturbed rest. At 6 a. m. his temperature was 100 1-3 degrees Fahrenheit, which was a drop of 1-2 degrees within a few hours. The earlier reports gave the pulse as 82 and respiration 34, and although the heart showed some weakness the symptoms were not considered alarming.

Special Services for His Recovery. Throughout the country, even in the remotest villages, Buddhists, Shintos and Christians of every sect engaged in services today for the emperor's recovery. Several of the most prominent Shinto priests last night ascended Fuji, the loftiest geyser of Japan, and at dawn prayed from the summit. An old woman prayed from the custom in the provinces, sequestered herself in the depth of the forest, communing with the spirits and begging salvation for the emperor.

Unruly Soldiers Confined. Every precaution has been taken against the disturbing effect of the announcement of the emperor's death. Unruly soldiers have been confined to barracks and newspapers have been warned against publishing sensational rumors.

Owing to the absence of precedent under the constitutional regime, further proceedings in the case of the death of the emperor cannot be outlined, but there is reason to believe that the emperor's death will be fully made public.

Former Emperor to Visit Japan. Koreans generally throughout the country are showing concern in the illness of Mutsuhito, and the young Korean prince who has been residing in Japan has returned from a protracted absence of Fuji. He visited the palace today and expressed his deep sorrow to the emperor. A special despatch from Seoul says that the former emperor intends to visit Japan.

Imperial Grandsons Recalled. The imperial grandsons have been recalled from the summer residence and will arrive in Tokio today. The emperor's death would be a disaster to the nation, and the emperor's death would be a disaster to the nation.

AN EARLIER REPORT. All Hope of Recovery Was Practically Abandoned.

Tokio, July 21.—This day of suspense closed with a bulletin from the imperial bedside that particularly excludes hope for the recovery of Mutsuhito, Emperor of Japan. At 9 a. m. the four physicians in consultation at the palace announced that his Majesty's symptoms were discouraging.

Delirious and Heart Action Weak. The emperor had been unable to sleep and was delirious. His heart action was weak, his pulse 82 and his respiration 34. The emperor's subjects and all foreigners who have lived under his rule are united tonight in anxiety. All day members of the cabinet and high government officials gathered in the outer rooms of the palace awaiting word of the emperor's condition. A continual stream of callers brought messages of sympathy and condolences.

Depression Everywhere Apparent. Regulations prohibiting unnecessary going out and all forms of entertainments were unnecessary, for although the Japanese are an undemonstrative people during personal and private troubles, in the present the great depression and anxiety are everywhere apparent.

Crown Prince Convolves. Information from the sick room of the Crown Prince, Yoshihito, who is convalescing from chicken pox is to the effect that the heir apparent is nearly recovered that he may be permitted to visit the emperor's bedside tomorrow. Significant of the general belief that the emperor cannot recover is the fact that most of the callers at the imperial palace afterward their respects at the residence of the crown prince.

Former Premier in Europe. It is understood that Katsura, the former premier who left several days ago on a mission to Russia, is awaiting the recovery of the emperor. His request is believed to be issued the moment hope of the emperor's recovery is abandoned.

Illness of the Japanese emperor has decided Prince Katsura to terminate as speedily as possible his visit to Russia. The prince and his party will leave here for Japan on July 27. All receptions and banquets, as well as his proposed visits to other capitals, Prince Katsura will remain in St. Petersburg for the week as originally intended.

KING ALFONSO SENDS GIFTS TO NEW CHURCH. Edifice For Spanish-Speaking Catholics Dedicated Yesterday.

New York, July 21.—Cardinal Farley presided at the consecration of the new Church of Our Lady of Hope, of Washington Heights, built for the use of the Spanish speaking Catholics of the city. The list of benefactors of the new church includes many well known persons. Archer M. Huntington, a son of the late Collis H. Huntington, gave grounds for the edifice and also contributed a large sum toward building the church. Among the donors of the interior furnishing the King Alfonso of Spain, who sent a massive silver lamp bearing the Royal Spanish coat of arms and a painting by Joaquin Sorolla of the St. Joseph and the Holy Child.